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FOR DARMAN AND SMITH

FOLLOWING REPEAT OSLO 1869 ACTION SECSTATE INFO USUN NY  
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QTE C O N F I D E N T I A L OSLO 1869

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PLOS, NO

SUBJECT: LAW OF THE SEA CONSULTATIONS--AMBASSADOR ELLIOT  
RICHARDSON

REF: STATE 86862

1. EMBASSY WELCOMES VISIT OF AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON AND PARTY TO NORWAY. THE AMBASSADOR INVITES AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON TO BE HIS GUEST AT THE RESIDENCE. NORWEGIAN LOS MINISTER EVENSEN PLEASED AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON CAN ACCEPT HIS DINNER INVITATION FOR MAY 5. SEVEN SIGLE ROOMS RESERVED AT HOTEL NORUM FOR PARTY FOR MAY 5. LOS OFFICER GRIFFITH WILL BE CONTROL OFFICER FOR VISIT AND WILL MEET PARTY AT AIRPORT. EVENSEN AND HIS STAFF PLAN CONSULTATIONS WITH AMBASSADOR RICHARDSON AND HIS PARTY AT FOREIGN MINISTRY DURING AFTERNOON, MAY 5, BEGINNING APPROXIMATELY  
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1430. GUEST LIST FOR EVENSEN'S DINNER THAT NIGHT NOT YET DETERMINED.  
PLEASE SEND NAMES OF PARTY MEMBERS ASAP.

2. AMBASSADOR VINDENES ADVISES HE EXPECTS COMPLETE REDRAFT OF DEEP SEABED ARTICLES BY FRIDAY, APRIL 22 AND WILL SUPPLY EMBASSY WITH COPY WHICH WE WILL SEND BY CABLE TO WASHINGTON. VINDENES HAD PLANNED TO DEPART OSLO FOR NEW YORK CITY SUNDAY, APRIL 24 TO MEET

ON REVISED ARTICLE WITH G-77 CHAIRMAN (THOMAS OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO AND DESOTO OF PERU). HOWEVER, HE PREPARED REARRANGE HIS SCHEDULE, IF WASHINGTON LOS OFFICIALS AGREEABLE, TO FLY DIRECTLY TO WASHINGTON FROM OSLO FOR CONSULTATIONS ON REVISED ARTICLE ON APRIL 26 WHICH IS PRIOR TO AMB RICHARDSON PARTY DEPARTURE. PLEASE ADVISE BY IMMEDIATE CABLE IF THIS ACCEPTABLE.

3. NORWAY CONTEMPLATES CONSULTATIONS ON REVISED ARTICLE ONLY WITH US AND THOMAS AND DESOTO OF G-77. (VINDENES INDICATED HE MIGHT FLY TO PERU IF HE CANNOT MEET DESOTO IN NEW YORK.) REVISED ARTICLE WILL BE SENT TO USSR VIA SOVIET EMBASSY IN OSLO AND WILL PROBABLY ALSO BE GIVEN TO AMERSINGE AND PAUL ENGO. AFTER CONSULTATIONS AND COMMENTS ON REVISED ARTICLE RECEIVED, VINDENES WILL REDRAFT ART CLE TO TAKE VIEWS RECEIVED INTO ACCOUNT. BECAUSE G-77 IS MEETING FOR TWO WEEKS BEGINNING MAY 9, REDRAFTED PAPER WILL PROBABLY NOT BE CIRCULATED UNTIL WEEK BEFORE LOS CONFERENCE OPENS ON MAY 23. VINDENES HOPES THEREBY AVOID HAVING G-77 MEETING FOCUS ON PAPER.

4. VINDENES ALSO ADVISES REPORT ON RECENT EVENSEN COMMITTEE MEETING IN GENEVA WILL PROBABLY BE SENT OUT DURING WEEK ENDING APRIL 30. ANDERS UNQTE VANCE

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